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OIC, ATTN: MISS CATHERINE ODELL

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SUBJECT: INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE SAFETY OF FISHING VESSELS,  
TORREMOLINOS, SPAIN, MARHC 7-APRIL 2, 1977.

REF: STATE 286791

1. REFERENCE YOUR REQUEST FOR INFORMATION AS SHOWN 11

FAM 631.3 (B) AND (C):

(B).

(1) MAP AND DESCRIPTION: WILL FORWARD ASAP.

(2) GOS WILL PROVIDE CONFERENCE HALL AT PALACIO DE CONGRESOS BUILDING. GOS GENERALLY PROVIDES GOOD SUPPORT, WITH TRANSLATION AND COMMITTEE ROOMS AT CONFERENCE CENTRE, BUT SPECIFIC INFORMATION NOT AVAILABLE THIS TIME.

(3) NEAREST AIRPORT AT MALAGA. U.S. CONSULAR AGENCY AT MALAGA:

CALLE RAMON Y CAJAL, EDIFICIO EL ANCLA, FUENGIROLA:

TEL: 952-461865. OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY AT

10 A.M. 12:30 P.M. U.S. CONSULATE GENERAL AT SEVILLE:

PASEO DE LAS DELICIAS 7, TEL: 231-885. OFFICE HOURS: 8:30 -1:30

AND 3-6 P.M.

(4) U.S. CONTACT IN CLINT A. LAUDERDALE, COUNSELOR FOR

ADMINISTRATION, U.S. EMBASSY.

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(5), (6) AND (7) UNKNOWN.

(C)

(1) NUMEROUS EXCELLENT HOTELS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE AREA. HOTELS ARE AVAILABLE WITHIN WALKING DISTANCE OF CONFERENCE CENTER, BUT ARE GENERALLY LESS SUITABLE. WE RECOMMEND THE HOTEL MELIA COSTA DEL SOL, LOCATED ON THE BEACH IN TORREMOLINOS A FIVE MINUTE DRIVE FROM THE CONFERENCE CENTER. SINGLE ROOM \$9 DAILY; DOUBLE \$14; DOUBLE WITH SITTING ROOM \$33; SUITE \$50. A CONFERENCE ROOM SUITABLE FOR MEETINGS OF 25 PEOPLE WILL COST \$37 DAILY, WHICH INCLUDES A SMALL ADJOINING OFFICE OR (AS PREFERRED) A SMALL SUITE ON THE SAME FLOOR AND NEAR CONFERENCE ROOM. ALL PRICES WILL PROBABLY RISE 10PERCENT-20PERCENT BETWEEN NOW AND CONFERENCE DATE.

(2) MANY EXCELLENT RESTAURANTS ARE AVAILABLE AT MODERATE TO EXPENSIVE CHARGES. FULL PENSION AT THE HOTEL IS \$10 DAILY. BREAKFAST AND EITHER LUNCH OR DINNER IS \$6 DAILY.

(3) UNKNOWN

(4) NO U.S. GOVERNMENT SPACE AVAILABLE. RENTAL SPACE AS SHOWN ABOVE.

(5) SEE PARA. 2. BELOW.

(6) BASED ON PAST RECORDS GOS WILL PROBABLY ARRANGE SOME BUS SERVICE, BUT UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME. TAXIS READILY AVAILABLE, ALSO RENTAL CARS AND BUSES. RENTAL CAR AND DRIVER WILL COST BETWEEN \$55 AND \$75 DAILY.

(7) UNKNOWN

2. REFERENCE YOUR OTHER QUESTIONS:

A. EMBASSY REGRETS IT CANNOT PROVIDE SECRETARIAL SUPPORT DURING CONFERENCE.

B. YES. SUNDRY ITEMS ARE ABAILABLE FROM THE EMBASSY. SUCH ITEMS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE AT ROTA NAVAL BASE, APPROXIMATELY 2 HOURS DRIVE FROM TORREMOLINOS. DUTY FREE BEVERAGES CAN BE USED FOR PRIVATE ENTERTAINING, BUT NOT ENTERTAINMENT AT PUBLIC ESTABLISHMENTS.

C. YES. WE CAN PROVIDE OFFICE SUPPLIES, INCLUDING TWO ELECTRIC TYPEWRITERS AND TWO BAR LOCK CABINETS. RENTAL XEROX CAN BE OBTAINED: MODEL 4000 FOR APPROXIMATELY \$200 WEEKLY INCLUDING CHARGE PER COPY.

3. SUITABLE OFFICE SPACE IS AVAILABLE AT THE HOTEL MELIA COSTA DEL SOL. SEE PARA. 1 ABOVE. TELEPHONES CAN BE INSTALLED.

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4. PERSONAL CHECKS ARE DIFFICULT TO CASH. TRAVELLERS CHECKS ARE READILY ACCEPTED. EMBASSY COULD PROVIDE ACCOMODATION EXCHANGE BY ADVANCE ARRANGEMENT, OR ADVANCE CASH IN PESETAS TO A MEMBER OF THE DELEGATION. INDIVIDUALS TRAVELLING TO SEVILLA OR ROTA COULD CASH CHECKS THERE.

5. TAXIS ARE READILY AVAILABLE.

6. EMBASSY AGREES TRANSMISSION OF UNCLASSIFIED CABLES VIA MADRID IS BEST METHOD. HOWEVER, COMMUNICATION FACILITIES ARE AVAILABLE AT ROAT NAVAL BASE.

7. WE WILL FORWARD MAPS AND BROCHURES WHEN AVAILABLE.

8. FYI, AVERAGE DAYTIME TEMPERATURE AT SEASON OF CONFERENCE IS 66 F, RANGING BETWEEN 45 F AND 68 F. HOTEL CURRENT IS 220 VOLT. STABLER

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